







That Sunday evening, the disciples were meeting behind locked doors because they were afraid of the Jewish leaders.



After His suffering, He showed Himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that He was alive. He appeared to them over a period of 40 days and spoke about the Kingdom of God.



Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.



You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.



Men of Galilee, why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen Him go into heaven.

When the Day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.



PROMISE of the Holy Spirit

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And it shall come to pass in the last days that I will pour out of My Spirit on ALL FLESH; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your young men shall see visions, your old men shall dream dreams. And on My menservants and on My maidservants, I will pour out My Spirit in those days

b Promise of Jesus in the NT

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The Spirit would be with them, then be in them



PURPOSE of the Holy Spirit

It is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him to you.

Jn 16:7

Significance of Pentecost

Pentecost is the birthday of the NT Church

Here are those who are turning the world upside down.

Acts 17:6



POWER of the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So, the Holy One to be born will be called the Son of God.

Lk 1:35

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- ii. Transforms through sanctification

Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise,

THINK ABOUT THINGS. **PHILIPPIANS 4:8**



b Power to Perform

Most assuredly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He sees the Father do; for whatever He does, the Son also does in like manner.

Jn 5:19

The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, because He has anointed Me to preach the Gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed; to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord.

Lk 4:18-19

b Power to Inform

These things I have spoken to you while being present with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.

Jn 14:25-26

But when the Helper comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify of Me.

Jn 15:26

However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you.

Jn 16:13-14



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Come, celebrate, and call on the Spirit to open heaven's door